

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DIVISION OF MISSOURI
SOUTHEASTERN DIVISION**

RICKY L. TILLMAN, JR., surviving son
of Ricky L. Tillman, Sr., deceased,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 1:20-cv-00178-SNLJ

THE BNSF RAILWAY COMPANY,
DONALD HANDY, and TITUSAN
TOWNSEND,

Defendants.

BNSF RAILWAY COMPANY,

Cross-Plaintiff,

v.

TITUSAN TOWNSEND,

Cross-Defendant.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Defendant BNSF Railway Company (“BNSF”) and Defendant Donald Handy (“Handy”),
by and through undersigned counsel, pursuant to Fed. R. App. P. 3(a), state as follows:

Notice is hereby given that Defendants BNSF Railway Company and Donald Handy appeal
to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit from this Court’s Memorandum and
Order entered on July 21, 2021, and the Order dismissing the case entered on July 21, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 20th day of August 2021, the foregoing was filed electronically with the Clerk of Court using the Missouri e-filing system to be served by operation of the Court's electronic filing service on all counsel of record:

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